

EXHIBIT NO. 19

DATE: 3/24/09

BILL NO. HB 531

3/5/09

Senate Committee....

The Bozeman Area Bicycle Advisory Board (BABAB) opposes HB531. Camera enforcement at signal intersections will lower crashes and red light running throughout the city. BABAB is very concerned about bicyclist safety and motorists running red lights are a key threat to bicyclists. Camera enforcement at signal intersections is one significant step our community can take to lower crash rates and unsafe driving, and should be embraced as one option to improve bicyclist safety.

Thank you for your attention.

Sincerely,
Chad Bailey
Co-chair
Bozeman Area Bicycle Advisory Board